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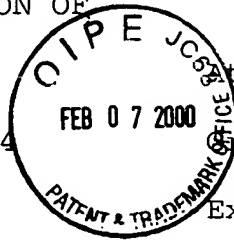
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BECKMANN et al

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For: **LGMD GENE CODING FOR A CALCIUM DEPENDENT
PROTEASE**



Atty. Ref.: 960-29

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: Zitomer, S.

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February 7, 2000

STATUS INQUIRY

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Inasmuch as the undersigned has not received any communication in the above-identified application since filing an Response to Notice to Comply on January 19, 1999, it is respectfully requested that a report on the status of this application be provided.

Respectfully submitted,

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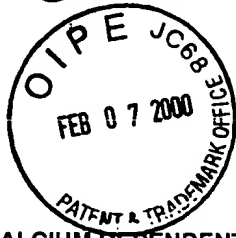
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This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number
previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$ 18.00 \$ 0.00

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